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United States Department of Commerce
Patent and Trademark Office
Washington D.C. 20231

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Re: 09/233,805

Gentlemen:

I have never abandoned my patent application; I have moved several times and mail often has not caught up with me; thank you for the patience and assistance with the confusion thus created.

From our recent telecons, I am enclosing the final artwork drawings that I understand are now correct; please review same and incorporate them into the final patent.

Again, when this patent finally issues you are cordially invited to our family celebration in Boston.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'AW Learned III', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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